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Dear Examiner:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2006, the time for response being extended by 3 months, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please considered Applicants' request for continued examination and amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.